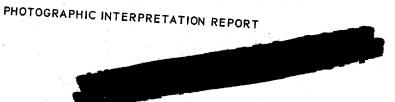
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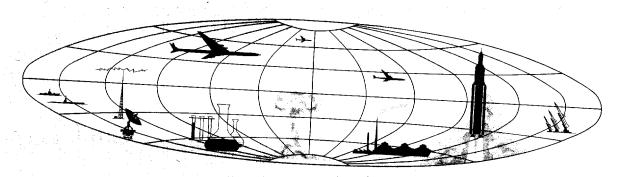
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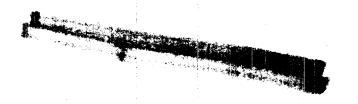


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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3762. DATED 29 OCT 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOLS USED TO INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS FOLLOWS — C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUDS), HC (HEAVY CLOUDS), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW), SD (SEMIDARKNESS), O (OBLIQUITY), PO (POOR IMAGE QUALITY).

25X1D

-MISSILES-

CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE 2202N 08024W

SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (3 WITH MISSILES, 3 CANVAS-COVERED), 3 CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREAS, 3 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OF PIECES OF EQUIPMENT, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED.

25X1A

25X1D

SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE 2147N Ø7929W

SITE APPEARS ABANDONED.

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MANZANILLO SAM SITE 2018N 07706W

25X1D FIVE BARRACKS (ONE CONSTRUCTED SINCE

, 6 SMALL SUPPORT BUILDINGS, AND ONE

POSSIBLE TENT OBSERVED.

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OBLIQUITY LIMITS FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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DELEITE SAM SITE 2259N Ø8Ø45W

SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS, ONE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTER, 11 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 2 VAN TRAILERS AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE REVETMENT OBSERVED.

25X1A

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-AIRFIELDS-

JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08025W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

25X1D

TRINIDAD AIRFIELD 2147N Ø7959W

NO AIRCRAFT OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

-PORTS-

PUNTA ALEGRE PORT 2223N Ø7847W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

25X1D

CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

VESSELS -- ONE PF, ONE KRONSHTADT-CLASS PC, 2 SMALLER PC, 6 PT, 3 LARGE FREIGHTERS (ONE LEAVING PORT), AND ONE COASTAL FREIGHTER.

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MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

25X1D

SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT 2001N 07550W

VESSELS -- 6 LARGE SHIPS.
HAZE AND OBLIQUITY LIMIT FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

CARDENAS PORT 2302N 08112W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

25X1D

CASILDA PORT 2145N Ø7959W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

25X1D

MATANZAS PORT 2303N 08134W

AT LEAST 2 LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

25X1D

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

LA JUTIA AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2155N Ø8Ø16W

NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OR ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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TRINIDAD AREA, POSS MIL HEADQUARTERS 2150N 07953W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. FOUR UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OBSERVED.

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ANTON RECIO, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2211N Ø8Ø36W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. AT LEAST 6 VEHICLES OBSERVED. THE 3-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED. THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS UNOCCUPIED.

25X1D

MARTI AREA, ARMOR TRAINING AREA 2258N Ø8Ø59W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWO PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS AND 4 POSSIBLE TANKS/SP GUNS OBSERVED.

25X1D

JAGUA: MILITARY AREA 2205N 08029W

AT LEAST 16 CARGO TRUCKS AND AT LEAST 15 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

25X1D

-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE

SINCE LAST COVERAGE--

JUCARO PORT CIENFUEGOS LANDING BEACH

ENSENADA COLORADO LANDING BEACH

2137N Ø7851W 2202N 08036W 2202N 08025W 25X1A

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED --

MATANZAS SAM SITE SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE 23Ø1N Ø8129W 1959N Ø7550W

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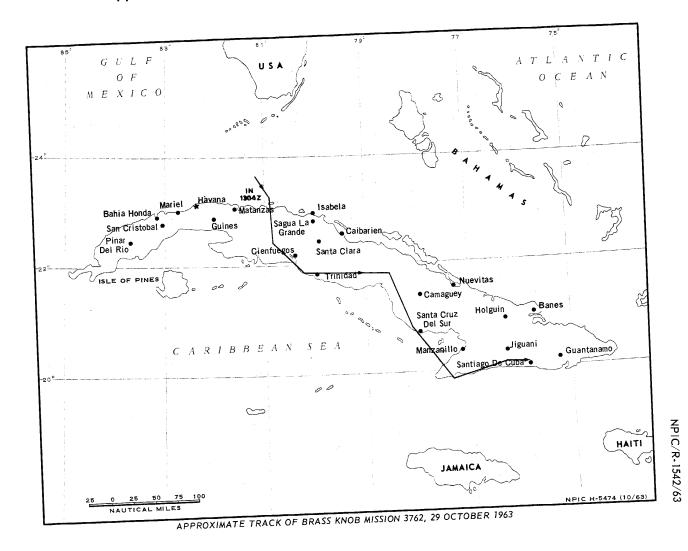
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SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2003N 07553W
CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD	23Ø7N Ø8117W
BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD	2023N 07638W
MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2017N 07706W
	2256N Ø8124W
LIMONAR MILITARY CAMP SE	2006N 07700W
LAS MERCEDES, MILITARY CAMP	23Ø2N Ø8119W
CANTEL, MILITARY CAMP	
GUANABANA, MILITARY AREA	2258N Ø8132W
LIMONAR, TANK TRAINING AREA	2254N Ø8122W
GUANABANA AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N Ø8134W
GUANABANA AKEA: MILITARI CAMI	
SANTIAGO DE CUBA, MILITARY TRAINING AREA	2117N Ø78Ø1W
CAMAGUEY MILITARY INSTALLATION SW	
MATANZAS LANDING BEACH	2301N 08126W
VARADERO LANDING BEACH	23Ø8N Ø8118W
A DOCATA CTODACE DEDOT RAPAIACHA	2208N 08004W
LA ROSITA STORAGE DEPOT BARAJAGUA	

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